

Organic 2009 EQIP Payment Schedule

PVC = Polyvinyl Chloride  
 HDPE = High Density Polyethylene  
 PSI = Pounds per Square Inch  
 CMP = Corrugated Metal Pipe

Practice & Components	Units	Payment Rate	Historically Underserved Payment Rate	Notes
<b>472 ACCESS CONTROL</b>				
1. Temporarily Exclude Livestock for one year	Acre	\$5.00	\$5.00	<b>Components 1 or 2</b> are payable one time for special use situations only, such as after a fire, weed control, range chiseling, wildlife enhancement, or wetland/riparian enhancement. Must be approved by the Assistant State Conservationist for Programs.
2. Temporarily Exclude Livestock for two years	Acre	\$10.00	\$10.00	
<b>316 ANIMAL MORTALITY FACILITY</b>				
1. Dairy or Beef Facility, 15' wide x 18' deep x 8' high bins, complete installation	Cubic Feet	\$7.50	\$9.00	Facilities include concrete or timber bins, concrete apron, and mono-slope roof. Design the facility for the largest carcass in a diversified operation. Equipment (loader or skid steer) size may dictate the bin dimensions. A Comprehensive Nutrient Management Plan is not required to receive a payment for this practice. Include a published reference on the mortality composting process in the O&M Plan. If needed use Fence (382) for predator exclusion.
2. Swine, 10' wide x 14' deep x 6-8' high bins, complete installation	Cubic Feet	\$5.88	\$7.06	
3. Poultry, 8' wide x 5' deep x 5' high bins with an 8' wide x 5' high continuous drop over (secondary) bin that runs behind the primary bins, complete installation	Cubic Feet	\$5.36	\$6.43	
<b>575 ANIMAL TRAILS AND WALKWAYS</b>				
1. Trail/Walkway, Includes Application	Each	\$1,450.00	\$2,175.00	For Fencing, use Fence (382).
<b>314 BRUSH MANAGEMENT</b>				
1. Cut, Stump and Chip or Slash, Pile and Burn Treatment of Salt Cedar or Russian olive	Acre	\$549.75	\$659.70	The number of acres receiving a practice payment will be limited to the acres with brush, not the total acres of the pasture.
2. Mechanical Treatment of Conifer Encroachment	Acre	\$67.50	\$81.00	
<b>322 CHANNEL BANK VEGETATION</b>				

1. Seed and Seeding, Herbaceous Planting	Acre	\$47.00	\$70.50	
2. Seed and Seeding, Herbaceous and Woody Planting	Acre	\$5,850.00	\$8,775.00	
<b>584 CHANNEL STABILIZATION</b>				
1. Channel Stabilization with In-Stream Rock Structure for Stream < 50 Cubic Feet per Second	Each	\$700.00	\$1,050.00	Costs include alterations in channel dimensions, patterns, and profiles necessary to ensure the channels are stable including in-stream structures required to stabilize the bed. A practice payment cannot be received for Channel Stabilization (584), Open Channel (582) and Stream bank and Shoreline Protection (580) on the same reach. This practice is limited to protection of adjacent irrigation structures or buildings only.
2. Channel Stabilization with In-Stream Rock Structure for Stream 50 CFS – 500 Cubic Feet per Second	Each	1,500.00	\$2,250.00	
3. Channel Stabilization with In-Stream Structure of Timber or Concrete	Each	\$2,750.00	\$4,125.00	
<b>328 CONSERVATION CROP ROTATION</b>				
1. Seed, Seeding, Packing	Acre	\$34.17	\$41.00	Limited to the Flexible Legume – Cereal Cropping Rotation and limited to 320 acres per producer. This payment is only paid on the acres the year the legume is established in the crop rotation.
<b>340 COVER CROP</b>				
1. Seed, Seeding, Packing	Acre	\$19.71	\$29.57	<b>Component 1</b> is not eligible for irrigated cropland and is capped at 500 acres.
<b>342 CRITICAL AREA PLANTING</b>				
1. Seed and Seeding Native Species Making up 90-100 percent of the Mixture, Packing if Necessary, Seeding with a Drill	Acre	\$57.00	\$68.40	<b>Component 1:</b> The mixture cannot contain more than ten percent non-native legumes. Plantings over 5 acres require approval by the State Resource Conservationist.
2. Seed and Seeding Native Species Making up 90-100 percent of the Mixture, Packing if Necessary, Seeding after a fire	Acre	\$81.00	\$97.20	
3. Seed and Seeding Native Species Making up 90-100 percent of the Mixture, Packing if Necessary, Broadcast Seeding	Acre	\$105.75	\$126.90	
4. Seed and Seeding Tame Species, Packing if Necessary, Seeding with a Drill	Acre	\$24.75	\$29.70	
5. Seed and Seeding Tame Species, Packing if Necessary, Seeding after a fire	Acre	\$30.00	\$36.00	

6. Seed and Seeding Tame Species, Packing if Necessary, Broadcast Seeding	Acre	\$41.25	\$49.50	
<b>647 EARLY SUCCESSIONAL HABITAT DEVELOPMENT/MANAGEMENT</b>				
1. Seed and Seeding, Native Species, 90-100 % of Mix	Acre	\$34.50	\$41.40	The mix cannot contain more than 10% non-native legumes.
<b>382 FENCE</b>				
1. Fencing, 3-5 Barbed, Smooth Wire,	Foot	\$1.05	\$1.26	Installation included in all components. For double deer fence installations, count the length of both fences to determine the total length of the fence. <b>Component 7:</b> Limited to concentrated livestock areas such as calving areas, feeding areas or feedlots and bee apiaries in areas with grizzly bear and wolf conflicts where they are listed as a T&E species. Antelope crossings are required when <b>component 8</b> is installed. Fences on cropland are not eligible for a practice payment.
2. Fencing, 3-5 Barbed, Smooth Wire, Mountain or Rough Terrain	Foot	\$1.28	\$1.53	
3. Fencing, Barbed, 6-9 Wire (Managing a combination of livestock such as sheep, cattle and bison)	Foot	\$1.14	\$1.37	
4. Fencing, Jack and Wire	Foot	\$1.88	\$2.25	
5. Fencing, Permanent Electric, 2-5 Smooth Wire, Including energizer	Foot	\$0.49	\$0.59	
6. Fencing, Permanent Electric, 2-5 Smooth Wire, Including energizer and clearing heavy brush or trees for orchards	Foot	\$1.24	\$1.49	
7. Fencing, Permanent Electric, Greater than 5 Smooth Wire, Including energizer	Foot	\$0.83	\$0.99	
8. Fencing, Regular Woven Wire or Goat Fence,	Foot	\$1.28	\$1.53	
9. Fencing, 2 Tier Woven Wire, Wildlife Fence around Shelterbelts	Foot	\$1.80	\$2.16	
10. Fencing, Wildlife Fence around Tree Plantings or Bee Hives < 0.25 acres in size	Foot	\$3.75	\$4.50	
11. Fencing, 2 Tier Woven Wire, Wildlife Fence Includes clearing heavy brush or trees for orchards	Foot	\$5.55	\$6.66	
12. Fencing, Predator Mitigation and Visibility Enhancement for Sage Grouse	Foot	\$0.12	\$0.14	
<b>386 FIELD BORDER</b>				
1. Seed and Seeding, Native Species, making up 90-100 percent of mixture.	Acre	\$34.50	\$41.40	<b>Component 1:</b> The mixture cannot contain more than ten percent non-native legumes. <b>Component 3:</b> A practice payment will be provided for planting a sequentially blooming planting mix that provides flowering plants throughout the growing season. Mix must be
2. Seed and Seeding, Tame Species	Acre	\$24.75	\$29.70	
3. Seed and Seeding, Pollinator Friendly Tame Species	Acre	\$29.25	\$35.10	

				selected from an NRCS-approved list found in the Plant Materials Technical Note MT-46 and Biology Technical Note MT-20.
<b>393 FILTER STRIP</b>				
1. Seed and Seeding, Crop Field Areas	Acre	\$24.75	\$29.70	
<b>511 FORAGE HARVEST MANAGEMENT</b>				
1. Hay analysis	Acre	\$0.92	\$1.38	One hay analysis per cutting is required for payment. Practice is payable for a maximum of 3 years.
<b>410 GRADE STABILIZATION STRUCTURE</b>				
1. Pipeline, 18 Inch PVC or HDPE, 80 PSI or Greater	Foot	\$17.52	\$26.27	All components include trenching, all appurtenances, and installation.
2. Pipeline, 21 Inch, PVC or HDPE, 80 PSI or Greater	Foot	\$23.97	\$35.95	
3. Pipeline, 24 Inch, PVC or HDPE, 80 PSI or Greater	Foot	\$26.58	\$39.87	
4. Pipeline, 27 Inch, PVC or HDPE, 80 PSI or Greater	Foot	\$34.16	\$51.23	
5. Pipeline, 30 Inch, PVC or HDPE, 80 PSI or Greater	Foot	\$39.45	\$59.18	
6. Pipeline, 36 Inch, PVC or HDPE, 80 PSI or Greater, Trenching, including all appurtenances, installed.	Foot	\$50.10	\$75.14	
7. Pipeline, 42 Inch, PVC or HDPE, 80 PSI or Greater	Foot	\$70.62	\$105.93	
<b>412 GRASSED WATERWAY</b>				
1. Construction of New Grassed Waterway, Complete Installation	Acre	\$968.00	\$1,452.00	
2. Construction of New Grassed Waterway with Fabric Barriers, Complete Installation	Acre	\$1,184.00	\$1,776.00	
3. Construction of New Grassed Waterway with Fabric Barriers and Topsoil, Complete Installation	Acre	\$1,722.00	\$2,583.00	
<b>548 GRAZING LAND MECHANICAL TREATMENT</b>				
1. Chiseling, Including Dragging if Necessary	Acre	\$13.00	\$19.50	A chisel may be substituted with appropriate equipment as discussed in the Practice Standard
<b>561 HEAVY USE AREA PROTECTION</b>				

1. Construction of Permanent Livestock Wind Shelter, Includes Installation	Linear Foot	\$20.25	\$24.30	Payment for <b>component 2</b> is limited to the two available drawings for construction of the 7.5' and 9.5' heights. <b>Components 1-3</b> are eligible for payment only when there is an environmental benefit versus a production benefit.
2. Construction of Portable Livestock Wind Shelter, Includes Installation	Linear Foot	\$37.50	\$45.00	
3. Construction of Permanent Livestock Wind Shelter over 9 feet Tall, Includes Installation	Linear Foot	\$33.91	\$40.69	
<b>797 HERBACEOUS WEED CONTROL</b>				
1. Biological – Leafy Spurge, Applied (Based on 5 acres per release of insects. A release is 1,000 bugs with a maximum of 10 releases per 100 acres).	Acre	\$30.00	\$45.00	Prescribed Grazing (528) is required with <b>component 3</b> . This practice is limited to noxious weed control on non-cropland and non-hay land only.
2. Biological – Knapweed, Applied (Based on 5 acres per release of insects. A release is 300 bugs with a maximum of 10 releases per 100 acres).	Acre	\$50.00	\$75.00	
3. Cultural – Prescribed Grazing, Herding, Temporary Water and Fence	Acre	\$9.38	\$14.06	
4. Cultural – Hand Pulling	Acre	\$125.00	\$187.50	
<b>484 Mulching</b>				
1. Application of peat moss around trees in orchards	Acre	\$1,255.50	\$1,506.60	<b>Component 1</b> is limited to 40 acres and the orchard land use. <b>Components 2 and 3</b> are used in conjunction with practice Critical Area Treatment (342).
2. Excelsior blanket mulch	Square Yard	\$0.22	\$0.26	
3. Vegetative (straw) mulching	Acre	\$75.00	\$90.00	
<b>590 NUTRIENT MANAGEMENT</b>				
1. Organic Livestock Conversion	Acre	\$30.00	\$30.00	<b>Component 1 or 2</b> is payable for three years and is limited to a maximum of 320 acres per component. Acreage already certified organic is not eligible. Payment for <b>component 2</b> is for transition of tame pastures or cropland seeded to pasture to certified organic tame pastures for use in transitioning to organic livestock production (does not include breaking of native sod). Operations approved for the organic production payment must receive a letter or certificate from a USDA accredited certifying agency verifying the producer's successful
2. Organic Crop Conversion	Acre	\$27.00	\$27.00	
3. Nutrient Management, Conventional (Not Precision Agriculture)	Acre	\$1.46	\$1.76	
4. Nutrient Management for Orchards	Each	\$292.50	\$351.00	

				<p>completion of an organic system plan, annual inspection, and review by the certifying agency.</p> <p>A payment can not be received for both organic livestock conversion and organic crop conversion.</p> <p><b>Component 7</b> is payable one time. The number of soil tests should be based on MSU Extension Montguide MT200803AG which is: 20 subsamples per 80 acre field. The soil test analysis must be for a 0-6" and 6-24" profile depth for cropland and 0-6" or 0-12" profile depth for forage crops.</p> <p><b>Component 4</b> is payable for a maximum of three years.</p>
<b>582 OPEN CHANNEL</b>				
1. Channels with Bankfull Discharges of 0 to 30 Cubic Feet per Second	Linear Foot	\$9.75	\$14.63	<p>These costs include costs associated with channel vegetation and alterations in channel dimensions, patterns, and profiles necessary to ensure the stream stability including in-stream structures required to stabilize the bed. A practice payment cannot be received for Open Channel (582), Channel Stabilization (584) and Stream bank and Shoreline Protection (580) on the same reach.</p> <p>A practice payment is not available for channels having bankfull flow &gt; 150 cubic feet per second.</p>
2. Channels with Bankfull Discharges of over 30-150 Cubic Feet per Second	Linear Foot	\$33.50	\$50.25	
<b>512 PASTURE AND HAY PLANTING</b>				
1. Seedbed Preparation, Seed and Seeding, Tame Species	Acre	\$24.75	\$29.70	<p><b>Component 2:</b> A practice payment will be provided for planting a sequentially blooming planting mix that provides flowering plants throughout the growing season. Mix must be selected from an NRCS-approved list found in Plant Materials Technical Note MT-46 and Biology Technical Note MT-20.</p> <p>Pasture or hay renovations that are part of a crop-pasture or crop-hay rotation are not eligible</p>
2. Seedbed Preparation, Seed and Seeding, Pollinator Friendly Tame Species	Acre	\$29.25	\$35.10	

				<p>for a practice payment. Planting on non-highly erodible cropland is not eligible for a practice payment.</p> <p>Highly erodible cropland with a cropping history of five out of the last seven years is eligible for a practice payment when seeded back to pasture or hay.</p> <p>Pasture plantings are limited to a maximum of ten percent legume and no permanent seedings are eligible on public land unless approved by the Assistant State Conservationist for Programs.</p>
<b>595 PEST MANAGEMENT</b>				
1. Integrated Pest Management	Acre	\$5.86	\$8.79	<p>Payment is limited to cropland, hay land, and pasture only.</p> <p>Practice is payable for a maximum of 3 years.</p>
<b>516 PIPELINE</b>				
1. Pipe, Trenching, or Plowing, Frost Free	Foot	\$1.69	\$2.03	<p><b>Components 1-4</b> include seeding if needed and installation.</p> <p>Water developments on cropland are not eligible for a practice payment unless cropland is seeded to pasture or rangeland</p>
2. Pipe, Trenching, or Plowing, Not Frost Free	Foot	\$0.94	\$1.13	
3. Pipe, Trenching where site conditions require a Backhoe,	Foot	\$2.25	\$2.70	
4. Pipe, Excavation, Rock/Extreme Sites and Bedding,	Foot	\$3.00	\$3.60	
5. Pipe, Above Ground, Including Thrust Blocks, Anchors,	Foot	\$0.94	\$1.13	
<b>378 POND</b>				
1. Wet Excavated Pond, Includes Installation when excavated materials are required to be moved off site	Cubic Yard	\$3.50	\$5.25	<p>This practice is not to be used for wetland creation.</p> <p>For Seeding, use Critical Area Planting (342).</p>
2. Dry Excavated Pond, Includes Installation	Cubic Yard	\$1.48	\$2.21	
3. Embankment Pond, Includes Installation	Cubic Yard	\$3.00	\$4.50	
<b>528 PRESCRIBED GRAZING</b>				
1. Implementation of a prescribed grazing plan which balances forage production with livestock requirements with season of use rotated, winter feed areas away from riparian areas, monitoring				<p><b>Component 1 or 2</b> is payable for a maximum of three years with a maximum payment of \$30,000.00 per contract after all facilitating practices (Fences, Water Development, etc.,)</p>

<p>plan developed, and contingency plan developed                  2. Implementation of a prescribed grazing plan which balances forage production with livestock requirements with livestock moved using a human herder to facilitate rotational grazing and predator deterrence for the entire grazing season, winter feed areas away from riparian areas, monitoring plan developed, and contingency plan developed</p>	<p>Acre</p>	<p>\$0.77</p>	<p>\$0.92</p>	<p>needed for the grazing systems have been installed. This payment applies to tame and native grazing lands only where a prescribed grazing system is planned and implemented and at least 50 percent of the operating unit grazing land must be contracted for Prescribed Grazing. A payment cannot be made for both prescribed grazing and deferred grazing.</p> <p><b>Component 2:</b> This component is limited to areas with known grizzly bear or wolf livestock predation conflicts. Applicant or adjacent neighbor has livestock predation conflict issues with at least one of the two T&amp;E species listed.</p> <p><b>Component 3:</b> A payment is payable for a maximum of three years with a cap of 640 acres for the portable fence and water to facilitate grazing management. This component has the following requirements:                  Portable water facilities:                  a. HDPE pipe only. Install above or below ground. Connect to existing water source such as pipeline, well, tank, etc.                  b. Water troughs 300 gallons or less.                  c. If installing a portable pump (hydraulic ram, sling, nose, etc.,) in a creek or river, the producer must provide proof of Montana water rights to remove the estimated amount of water.                  Portable fencing materials:                  a. Electric fence charger must maintain minimum charge and ground as described in practice Fence (382) specification.                  b. To be used as interior cross fences. Not to be used as boundary fence or main pasture fence.                  c. Initial fence locations to be determined with NRCS under the development of a grazing plan.                  Fences are portable, and it is understood that the</p>
<p>3. Implementation of a prescribed grazing plan which balances forage production with livestock requirements with season of use rotated, winter feed areas away from riparian areas, monitoring plan developed, and contingency plan developed</p>	<p>Acre</p>	<p>\$2.30</p>	<p>\$2.75</p>	
<p>using portable fence and water</p>	<p>Acre</p>	<p>\$14.54</p>	<p>\$17.44</p>	

				producer will move them to adjust for animal forage needs, plant conditions, unexpected weather fluctuations, etc., to maximize the health, productivity and sustainability of all grazing lands within their control.
<b>533 PUMPING PLANT</b>				
1. Submersible Pump, (Well Pit, Pump and Electrical)	Each	\$4,237.50	\$5,085.00	<p><b>Components 1- 4</b> include installation. A practice payment is not available for pumps for use with practice Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment (380). A practice payment for a generator will only be available when reliable electric power is not available within 2 miles and solar is not a viable option.</p>
2. Pump for Providing Livestock Water	Each	\$1,125.00	\$1,350.00	
3. Solar Pump for Typical Stockwater System with Panels or Generator at remote sites for livestock and wildlife water including weather proofing, self-starting, and able to pump water	Each	\$7,968.75	\$9,562.50	
4. Windmill, Including Installation (Including Mill, Tower, Pump, Cement, Sucker Rod, and Pipe)	Each	\$3,900.00	\$4,680.00	
<b>550 RANGE PLANTING (90 to 100 percent Native Species)</b>				
1. Seed and Seeding, Native Species	Acre	\$34.50	\$41.40	<p><b>Components 1 and 3:</b> The mixture cannot contain more than ten percent non-native legumes. <b>Components 2 and 4:</b> A practice payment will be provided for planting a sequentially blooming planting mix that provides flowering plants throughout the growing season. Mix must be selected from an NRCS-approved list found in Plant Materials Technical Note MT-46 and Biology Technical Note MT-20.</p>
2. Seed and Seeding, Pollinator Friendly Species	Acre	\$39.00	\$46.80	
3. Seed and Seeding, Native Species for Reclamation of Cheat Grass Infested Areas West of the Continental Divide Only	Acre	\$54.75	\$65.70	
4. Seed and Seeding, Pollinator Friendly Species, for Reclamation of Cheat Grass Infested Areas West of the Continental Divide Only	Acre	\$62.25	\$74.70	
5. Plug Planting with Fabric, Native Species	Plug	\$1.87	\$2.24	
6. Plug Planting without Fabric, Native Species	Plug	\$0.71	\$0.86	
<b>345 RESIDUE AND TILLAGE MANAGEMENT, MULCH TILL</b>				
1. Managing Residue on Flood Irrigated Acres	Acre	\$65.00	\$97.50	Payment for <b>components 1 and 2</b> of this practice are payable for a maximum of three years and are limited to 200 acres per year of irrigated land planted to row crops.
2. Managing Residue on Sprinkler Irrigated	Acre	\$50.00	\$75.00	
	Acre	\$4.04	\$4.84	
<b>329 RESIDUE AND TILLAGE MANAGEMENT, NO-TILL / STRIP TILL / DIRECT SEED</b>				
1. Managing Residue	Acre	\$9.38	\$11.25	A payment is payable for a maximum of three years after the practice is implemented and

				<p>moves from an alternative conservation system to a basic conservation system or a basic conservation system to a resource management system with the maximum payment on 640 acres for the whole operation. This payment is limited to annual crop production.</p> <p>A payment cannot be paid for both Residue Management and Salinity and Sodic Soil Management on the same acre of land.</p>
<b>391 RIPARIAN FOREST BUFFER</b>				
1. Sprigging, Gathering, Transporting, Planting	Each	\$0.94	\$1.13	
2. Stock, Fabric, Vegetative Control, Site Preparation Mechanical Plant, Installed	Each	\$4.05	\$4.86	
3. Stock, Fabric, Vegetative Control, Site Preparation, Rigid Mesh Tubes, Mechanical Plant, Installed (all components are needed).	Each	\$5.93	\$7.11	
4. Stock, Fabric, Vegetative Control, Hand Scalping, Hand Plant, Installed	Each	\$5.66	\$6.80	
5. Stock, Fabric, Vegetative Control, Hand Scalping, Rigid Mesh Tubes, Hand Plant, Installed (all components are needed).	Each	\$7.80	\$9.36	
<b>390 RIPARIAN HERBACEOUS COVER</b>				
1. Seed and Seeding, Native Species, making up 90-100 percent of mixture	Acre	\$89.25	\$107.10	<b>Component 1:</b> The mixture cannot contain more than ten percent non-native legumes.
2. Sprigging	1000 Square Feet	\$63.75	\$76.50	
<b>570 RUNOFF MANAGEMENT SYSTEM</b>				
1. Silt fence around construction site	Linear Foot	\$1.13	\$1.35	Excelsior blanket mulch is available under practice Mulching (484).
2. Straw Bale Dams	Linear Foot	\$6.00	\$7.20	
3. Fabric Barrier	Square Foot	\$0.13	\$0.15	
4. Coconut rolls	Linear Foot	\$4.50	\$5.40	
5. Straw wattles	Linear			

	Foot	\$1.09	\$1.31	
<b>610 SALINITY AND SODIC SOIL MANAGEMENT</b>				
1. Recharge area delineation, per site (total saline seep area investigated)	Each	\$1,875.00	\$2,250.00	<p>A payment cannot be made for both Residue Management (328,329) and Salinity and Sodic Soil Management (610) on the same acre of land.</p> <p>This practice is not to be used for wetland creation.</p> <p>For seeding use Pasture and Hay Planting (512) or Range Planting (550). For Salinity planting using Pasture and Hay Planting (512) with no more than 50% legume in the planting allowed. The conservation plan must address Forage Harvest Management (511) on the contracted areas.</p>
2. Recharge Area Moisture Management (Perennial Vegetation)	Acre	\$30.00	\$36.00	
<b>574 SPRING DEVELOPMENT</b>				
1. Spring Development, Complete for Collection System.	Each	\$2,250	\$2,700.00	
<b>578 STREAM CROSSING</b>				
1. Stream Crossing, Culvert and Roadway	Each	\$3,600.00	\$4,320.00	For Fencing, use practice Fence (382).
2. Stream Crossing, Ford	Square Foot	\$3.28	\$3.93	
3. Stream Crossing, Steel Bridge for Pivot Wheels	Each	\$2,175.00	\$2,610.00	
<b>580 STREAMBANK AND SHORELINE PROTECTION</b>				
1. Stream bank Protection for Channels with Rock Riprap	Square Foot	\$5.32	\$7.98	<p>These costs include alterations in channel dimensions necessary to ensure the stream banks are adequately protected and stable. A practice payment cannot be received for Open Channel (582), Channel Vegetation (584) and Stream bank and Shoreline Protection (580) on the same reach.</p> <p>Practice payments are based on square feet of protected bank. Costs include a rock key.</p> <p>Practice payments for <b>components 1 and 2</b> are limited to protection of irrigation structures or buildings only.</p> <p>For Fencing, use practice Fence (382).</p>
2. Stream bank Protection for Channels with Articulated Concrete	Square Foot	\$7.19	\$10.78	
3. Stream bank Protection for Channels with Bioengineering Practices	Linear Foot	\$26.13	\$39.19	
4. Stream bank Protection for Channels with Vegetative Practices	Square Foot	\$0.50	\$0.75	
5. Stream bank Protection for Channels with Geocell	Square Foot	\$3.98	\$5.97	

				All projects over 500 cubic feet per second bank full flow must be approved by the State Conservation Engineer prior to contracting.
<b>587 STRUCTURE FOR WATER CONTROL</b>				
1. Miscellaneous Installation	Each	\$1,250.00	\$1,875.00	Before Miscellaneous, Small, Medium or Large Installations can be contracted; a description and cost estimate must be completed by an individual having the appropriate job approval authority documenting the cost. For Seeding, use practice Critical Area Treatment (342). For Fencing, use practice Fence (382).
2. Small Installation	Each	\$2,500.00	\$3,750.00	
3. Medium Installation	Each	\$5,000.00	\$7,500.00	
4. Large Installation	Each	\$10,000.00	\$15,000.00	
5. Culvert, CMP culvert installed.	Pound	\$1.20	\$1.80	
6. Culvert, HDPE culvert installed.	Pound	\$2.50	\$3.75	
<b>660 TREE/SHRUB PRUNING</b>				
1. Pruning	Acre	\$137.50	\$206.25	
<b>645 UPLAND WILDLIFE HABITAT MANAGEMENT</b>				
1. Use of a rotational grazing system approved by NRCS designed to improve species of concern	Acre	\$2.14	\$2.57	The maximum payment is \$30,000.00 per contract. This payment applies to tame and native grazing lands only where a prescribed grazing system is planned and implemented on at least 50 percent of the operating unit grazing land. The component must be contracted for three years to receive the payment. A payment cannot be made for upland wildlife habitat management (645) or prescribed grazing (528) on the same acres.
<b>633 WASTE UTILIZATION</b>				
1. Waste Spreading (Spreading, Manure Analysis, Proper Application) (limited to one year's manure production with a maximum of 6,000 tons).	Ton	\$2.63	\$3.15	<b>Component 1 or 2</b> is payable one time based on one year's animal waste as outlined in a nutrient management plan and is limited to 6,000 tons or 1,500,000 gallons. A practice payment is available for either <b>Component 1 or 2</b> , but not both.
2. Waste Spreading (Spreading, Manure Analysis, Proper Application) (limited to one year's manure production with a maximum of 1,500,000 gallons of manure).	1000 Gallon	\$10.50	\$12.60	
<b>614 WATERING FACILITY</b>				
1. Tank, < 1,000 gallons	Each	\$975.00	\$1,170.00	All troughs and tanks are contracted as complete including installation.
2. Tank, 1,000 gallons to ≤ 1,400 gallons	Each	\$1,350.00	\$1,620.00	

3. Tank, > 1,400 gallons to ≤ 2,000 gallons	Each	\$1,575.00	\$1,890.00	Water developments on cropland are not eligible for a practice payment unless cropland is seeded to pasture or rangeland.	
4. Tank, > 2,000 gallons	Gallon	\$1.24	\$1.49		
5. Tank, Storage, New	Gallon	\$0.90	\$1.08		
6. Tank, Storage, Used	Gallon	\$0.45	\$0.54		
7. Tank, Winter, ≥ 125 gallons to ≤ 450 gallons	Each	\$1,125.00	\$1,350.00		
8. Tank, Winter, greater than 450 gallons to ≤ 950 gallons	Each	\$1,500.00	\$1,800.00		
9. Tank, Winter, greater than 950 gallons	Each	\$3,000.00	\$3,600.00		
10. Tank, Winter, < 125 gallons	Each	\$750.00	\$900.00		
11. Tank, Retrofit existing tank with wildlife escape ramp	Tank	\$37.50	\$45.00		
<b>638 WATER AND SEDIMENT CONTROL BASIN</b>					
1. Basin, 0-3 feet High Narrow Base	Each	\$536.50	\$804.75		
2. Basin, 0-3 Feet High Broad Base	Each	\$1,735.00	\$2,602.50		
3. Basin, Greater Than 3 Feet to 6 Feet High Narrow Base	Each	\$1,185.00	\$1,777.50		
4. Basin, Greater Than 3 Feet to 6 Feet High Broad Base	Each	\$2,610.00	\$3,915.00		
<b>642 WATER WELL</b>					
1. Cementing and packing of existing flowing and non-flowing artesian wells, to conserve groundwater in artesian aquifers and to protect higher quality groundwater from incursion by poor quality water. Final design is the responsibility of a licensed water well contractor. This item requires a report by the NRCS Geologist or by the Montana Bureau of Mines and Geology.	Each	\$1,500.00	\$1,800.00	<p>A practice payment is not available for wells for use with practice Windbreak/Shelterbelt Establishment (380).</p> <p>A practice payment for a dry well is not available under EQIP as stated in the ineligible cost section of the EQIP manual.</p> <p>Water developments on cropland are not eligible for a practice payment unless cropland is seeded to pasture or rangeland. The purpose of the well is not for crop aftermath grazing.</p>	
2. Winterizing and valving of existing artesian wells, including well house or pit, pitless adapter, fittings, and installation	Each	\$3,750.00	\$4,500.00		
3. Drilling and Casing for 7 Inches or Less Casing	Linear Foot	\$23.15	\$27.78		
4. Drilling and Casing for greater than 7-Inch Casing	Linear Foot	\$41.25	\$49.50		
5. Drilling, Driving, Grouting of 8 Inch or Greater Casing	Linear Foot	\$60.00	\$72.00		
6. Mobilization, Set Up, Drilling and Casing for					

Shallow Wells (Less than 60 feet)	Each	\$1,425.00	\$1,710.00	
<b>351 WELL DECOMMISSIONING</b>				
1. Sealing of an Abandoned Well (≤ 8-inch diameter and ≤ 200 feet deep)	Well	\$337.50	\$405.00	
2. Sealing of an Abandoned Well (> 8-inch diameter and ≤ 200 feet deep)	Well	\$1,500.00	\$1,800.00	
3. Sealing of an Abandoned Well (> 200 feet deep)	Foot	\$2.25	\$2.70	
<b>380 WINDBREAK/SHELTERBELT ESTABLISHMENT</b>				
1. Tree/Shrub Rows (Mechanical Site Preparation, Vegetation Control, Stock, Planting Labor)	Tree	\$1.50	\$1.80	All components include installation. For fencing, use practice Fencing (382).
2. Tree/Shrub Rows (Mechanical Site Preparation, Vegetation Control, Stock, Fabric, Planting Labor)	Tree	\$3.00	\$3.60	
3. Tree/Shrub Rows (Mechanical Site Preparation, Vegetation Control, Stock, Fabric, Rigid Mesh Tubes, Planting Labor)	Tree	\$4.50	\$5.40	
4. Tree/Shrub Rows (Chemical Site Preparation, Vegetation Control, Stock, Hand Planting Labor)	Tree	\$3.23	\$3.87	
5. Tree/Shrub Rows (Chemical Site Preparation, Vegetation Control, Stock, Fabric, Hand Planting Labor)	Tree	\$5.10	\$6.12	
6. Tree/Shrub Rows (Chemical Site Preparation, Vegetation Control, Stock, Fabric, Staples, Rigid Mesh Tubes, Hand Planting Labor)	Tree	\$6.60	\$7.92	
<b>650 WINDBREAK/SHELTERBELT RENOVATION</b>				
1. Adding New Trees to Replace Dead Trees	100 Feet	\$75.00	\$112.50	
2. Removal of Entire Tree and/or Shrub Row	100 Feet	\$100.00	\$150.00	
3. Thinning of Trees and/or Shrubs	100 Feet	\$37.50	\$56.25	